

# STRATHMORE STANDARD

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## LIONS HEAR OF CHILD DELINQUENCY

Meeting in the Dining Room of the Memorial Hall on Thursday evening last week, the Lions Club had a very good turnout. An excellent dinner was served by Lions Albert Peck, Charlie Harvey, Buster Garriott and George Anderson, and the group extended a vote of thanks for their efforts following the affair.

Calling forth a group of new members that were present, the President presented each of them with a framed certificate of membership, and then asked Rev. D. A. Ford to read to them the address of induction.

A report on efforts at the swimming pool followed and the Lion President stated that Burns and Dutton had started preliminary arrangements already. They had obtained some fifty yards of gravel, most of which had already been hauled free by local Lions. The contractors expected to start staking the pool on Friday, he said, and pointed out that when they had dug holes for the erection of their signs, had found very little frost.

Plans for the Sports Day on July 1st, were also discussed, and two or three committees appointed.

Speaker for the evening was the rev. Mr. W. E. Sieber, of Carleton Place, who chose as his subject the matter of Juvenile Delinquency. Speaking from an experience of five years in dealing with children's matters in Edmonton, Mr. Sieber declared it was his firm conviction that the woodshed was superior of the juvenile court.

The real cause of delinquency, said Mr. Sieber, suggesting that he felt our present methods of dealing with the trouble were like trying to mop up a stream of water without turning off the tap, lay in a general moral regression characteristic of this day and age. He went on to quote from Father Elanagan, renowned as the founder of Boy's Town in the United States, when he said that there were no bad boys, only badly trained boys.

Delinquency of youth was not the only point which illustrated the disinterest of the adult today, said Mr. Sieber. Such things as 20% polls at elections illustrated the same feature all too forcibly.

External causes which aggravated the situation, said Mr. Sieber, included the accentuation of urban life; the increased use of labor-saving devices,

which eliminate chores for the youth, and thus leave more time to get into mischief; the housing situation of latter days, where there is no privacy, and homes as such are not units; the falling away from the Ten Commandments, the churches; and finally the emotional disturbances natural to adolescence.

A large feature of the problem, declared Rev. Sieber, was that it is not youth that is delinquent, it is the parents. We simply cannot unload the problem of child training on the schools or on the churches, he stated. Such a solution is neither fair nor feasible.

When people marry and raise children, they assume a definite obligation to society for the proper upbringing of those children.

The remedy, of course, was to reach the parents, said the speaker. Working on the boys, and girls, alone, does not enmesh the fire but only smother a few embers. He suggested that one American method of charging the parents double for any costs incurred, be inaugurated, followed by the program of "sentencing" such parents to attend a series of lectures and discussions, conducted by experts, on the methods properly used to correct tendencies and shortcomings of their children.

This method has proved quite successful, he said, on the West Coast where it was tried, and might also go far to help the situation at home.

## Home & School Meeting

Extra chairs had to be brought in to accommodate the large number who attended the H&S A Meeting in the High School Monday evening.

Chief features of the programme were an address on Reading Readiness by Mr. Roy Daniels, Supervisor of Elementary Instruction in the Calgary Schools, and a demonstration of reading by the pupils of Mrs. Eyles Grade 1 class.

Rev. D. A. Ford presided. Mr. Daniels in an excellent and illuminating address explained problems with which teachers have to contend in the varied aptitude of children of equal age.

The speaker naming the various subject as "skills" said that reading is the most important skill, superseding all others.

"Reading Readiness" originated following a serious outbreak of Juvenile Delinquency in Washington. The question was moved that if more attention was paid to children's reading, the matter and their ability, it might go far to overcome delinquency. Hence the beginning of this subject which today is taking so large a place in the scholastic world.

Mr. Daniels held the closest attention of his audience, to many of whom the varied ability in the same age was an eye-opener. The speaker dwelt on the aspects of mental and social maturity and stages of maturity.

He said the surest way to stamp a boy or a girl as a failure is to tell them they are failures and the opposite applies equally in telling them they are a success.

A child that is hampered by lack of ability in this reading readiness first grows to dislike reading, then school work, then the teacher and finally

## The Community Centre Project

As the first pieces of equipment a Projection Machine and screen have been ordered. This will be for the use of all organizations in the area and a town library will be established in the town.

A joint meeting of the now existing committees, the Executive of the Canadian Legion, representatives of the M. D's of Bow Valley and Serviceberry, the Strathmore Town Council, and other organizations will be held in the Town Hall on Friday April 5th, at 8:00 p.m.

It is hoped that this meeting will lead to the formation of a Community Council, on which all organizations will be represented. The next step will probably be the sending of a questionnaire to all residents in order to ascertain what recreational facilities are most desired. After the answers are tabulated then a campaign will be initiated to supply these facilities.

## A.T.A. MEETING

A well attended meeting of the Strathmore Sub-Local A. T. A. was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eyles on Wednesday, March 26.

Mr. Eyles gave a report on the new salary schedule and of the county track meet which will be held in Strathmore in May 17. Mr. Crowther led an interesting discussion on the purpose and methods of teaching current events in the classroom.

The next meeting will be held at Nightingale on April 17.

The meeting was concluded with an appetizing lunch served by Mr. and Mrs. Eyles.

Enthusiasm, hard work and faith in the future of this Community will achieve much. Cynicism, apathy and the spirit of let George do it, will achieve nothing.

## Baseball Club Elect Officers

Meeting on Sunday afternoon in the King Edward Hotel, the Baseball Club of Strathmore held its annual meeting and elected officers.

President for the year will be Mr. Bill Woodliffe, Sec-Treas., Mr. Leonard Hill, Team Manager Mr. J. Crellin.

The financial position was outlined and showed a very favorable credit in the bank. The team decided that the ball park needed considerable work, and allocated a goodly portion of their finances for this work.

Operations have already been undertaken, and the ball park is undergoing a thorough remodeling. Home plate has been completely reversed and is now staked out from near the hole and away track. This means that the infield, which heretofore has been on high ground, and consequently extremely muddy every time it rains, will be on lower, better drained ground, and should therefore prove much more serviceable. The team has hired the municipality's bulldozer and Le Tourneau, and all the humps and hillocks in this area are to be leveled.

It is planned to erect a backstop behind homeplate, and further down by the lake, to erect a storm fence to catch foul balls rolling towards the water. A road completely around the park is also planned, running parallel to the railway, then between the lake and the diamond and then up by the irrigation ditch.

The team expects to enter the same league it was in last year. It has a good stock of uniforms, but needs to purchase certain other equipment.

## BARLEY CONTEST CLOSES JUNE 15th

Distribution of 50,000 entry forms started last week for farmers who may wish to enter the 25,000 National Barley Contest. The highest share of the award money, \$18,750, is allocated to the Western provinces.

Farmers wishing to enter may get forms from the operator of their nearest elevator, by contacting their local agricultural representative, or by writing direct to the department of agriculture in the province in which they reside.

In 10 days or two weeks the Contest Committee will have booklet of regulations governing the contest which may be obtained from the same sources as the entry forms.

Entries close June 15th.

## CHEADLE

—By B. W.—

A "500" card party was held in the Cheadle Hall Wednesday 26th. There were 9 tables. Prize winners were high Mrs. L. Welshimer and Mr. D. Heckle, low Evelyn Russell and Bob Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Miner have returned from Los Angeles after visiting with the latter's mother and father for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. McDougall visited his brother and sister-in-law in Edmonton, over the week end.

The executive meeting of the Cheadle Community Club was held in the Cheadle Hall Monday 26th. After the meeting the bachelors entertained by putting on a bachelors "500" card party. Prize winners were Mr. D. Heckle and Mr. L. Welshimer high, Mrs. I. Keer and Mr. L. Lewis low.

## THE 'OUT-SIDE'

### EXAM DATES SET

Department examinations for Grade 9 students will be held June 21 to 25 and for Grade 12 students June 21 to 25, P. G. Buchanan, superintendent of schools, reported at the school board meeting Thursday.

Emphasis will be increased next year in the study of plastic and airplanes during general shop work, Mr. Buchanan indicated.

### ALEXANDER'S PAINTINGS

#### ON DISPLAY IN LONDON

LONDON, March 13.—Oil paintings by Viscount Alexander, Canada's governor-general designate, on view at the 59th exhibition of the Royal Institute of Oil Painters are attracting hundreds of art connoisseurs, eager to discover the distinguished soldier's talent with the brush. Of one of his pictures, "On the Northwest Frontier," a Daily Express columnist wrote: "No professional artist ever went so far to find a subject so difficult."

### Breakfast Conversation

The deep scowl on Mr. Young-husband's face was not unnoticed by the little four-year-old daughter who stopped munching her breakfast food long enough to ask:

"Daddy, aren't you happy this morning?"

"Why of course I am, dear," replied the astounded father.

"Well hadn't you better tell your wife then?" quickly shot back the family's pride and joy.

### FORERUNNER OF EROSION

Pulverized soil, it is reported, is a forerunner of erosion. Experimental farms and agricultural institutions have demonstrated that soil drifting can be prevented by leaving the trash on top of the land. Farmers are advised to buy only those types of machinery which will leave the trash on top and create a cloudy surface.

## COMING EVENTS

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There will be a meeting of the Strathmore Sorosis Society at the home of Mrs. J. Van Tighem on Wednesday, April 3rd, at 8:00 p.m. 1m25c

The regular monthly meeting of the U. P. A. will be held Tuesday, April 2nd, at 8:00 p.m. 1m25c.

There will be a A. F. U. meeting on Friday, April 5, in the Memorial Hall, Strathmore at 8 p.m. C. J. Stemple, pres. of the A. F. U. will address this meeting. Come early and bring your neighbor. 2440

Also please note that Mr. Stemple will be speaking at Carleton Place on Tuesday, April 2, at 2:30 p.m.

A Pot Luck Supper will be held at Cheadle Hall, Wednesday, April 3, from 6 to 8 p.m. Admission, adults 50c children 25c. To be followed by an Auction Sale. Proceeds for the Red Cross. 1m25c

## NAMAKA

—By M. W.—

Pte. Ike Fawkes who was home for a couple of days leave recently has returned overseas, escorting a party of prisoners of war.

The present era might be described as the peace that passeth all understanding.

## W. I. D. Notes

The Water Users are reminded that the Second Annual Meeting of water users will be held in the Canadian Legion Hall in Strathmore at 1 o'clock P.M. on April 4th, for the purpose of receiving the Auditor's report of the finances of the district and the reports of the trustees and general manager.

Nominations of candidates for trustees closes today. So far there is only one candidate for each vacancy, namely, Mr. John A. McArthur for electoral division No. 1, Mr. John Christensen for electoral division No. 3 and Mr. George Boyack for electoral division No. 4. Mr. James Harwood has another year as representative of electoral division No. 2 and Mr. Emil Cammari has another year as representative of electoral division No. 5.

The reports of the auditor, the Board of Trustees and the general manager have been mailed to water users. Please show your interest in the welfare of the irrigation district by attending the annual meeting on April 4th.

## In The Legislature

By Geo E. Bell, M. L. A.

The past week has seen the passing of considerable Legislation which brings the House near completion for this Session. Most of the time has been taken up by the Committee of the whole Assembly in discussion of the Bills before the House.

This week I am giving you a few of the highlights of some of these Bills through the courtesy of the Editor of this paper not already reported.

An amendment to the Setting of Poison Act authorizes the Fish and Game Commissioner to distribute certain poisons known as "Coyote Getters". These are distributed only to Game Officers and persons recommended by the R. C. M. P.

An amendment to the Agricultural Weed Board Act gives power to the Municipal Council and the Minister of Municipal Affairs for the leasing of weed infested land to an approved tenant on whatever terms may be decided proper to the farms reclamation. By experience Municipal districts

have found that equipment and labour are not always available when required and that an agreement with the owner to carry out reclamation plans was before, in many cases, not practical.

A change in the Succession Duty Act says that any individual may bequeath any part of his Estate to a School District or School Division and such part of his Estate will be exempt from succession duty. The Act before included the University of Alberta and this part has not been changed.

The Municipal District Act has been changed to provide for representation of the school division, which forms a part of the municipal district, to attend the council meetings and take part in discussions relating to school matters. It also provides for the arrangement by the Council for a member of theirs to attend Divisional Board meetings. As school divisions secure their revenues by regulations on the municipalities, this change is considered desirable. A new section authorizes the Municipal Council to

enter into agreements for the provisions and distribution of electricity gas and power. Provision is made for the necessary approval of two-thirds of the proprietors voting on such a proposition in any municipality before it can be started.

The assessed value of farm lands situated in any district containing city town or village, may be reduced by the Minister of Education for the purpose of apportioning the requisition from the rural section of the school district.

A new Bill provides for the incorporation of the Alberta Industrial Corporation. The Corporation will be empowered to loan money for developing or expanding manufacturing or industrial businesses within the Province. The Corporation will raise money by the issue and sale of debentures up to the sum of \$5,000,000.00 guaranteed by the Province. The municipal and public Boards may invest in these debentures. The Government will advance \$100,000.00 to the Corporation as a loan. The purpose of this Bill is to provide for the expanding and development of Alberta industries and to provide an opportunity for the citizens of Alberta to invest their money. Albertans will have an opportunity of investing their money in Alberta industries, in preference to having outside and foreign capital doing the investing and receiving many of the benefits from the investment.

An amendment to the Co-operative Marketing Associations Guarantee Act, authorizes the government to guarantee the borrowings by a Co-operative Association, which has as its principal object supplying of electrical energy and power to its members.

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### THE CALGARY HIGHLANDERS

"The World's Champion Piper. Pipe Major Neil Sutherland who won his title at the Depot of Highland Regiments in Perth Scotland, while he was serving overseas with the Calgary Highlanders, will be one of the feature attractions when the renowned Calgary Highlanders hold their first Annual Reunion in the Legion Hall, in Calgary on April 6th.

It is expected that more than 600 former Highlanders from all parts of Western Canada will attend the Reunion and Smoker. Major Clarke, Reunion Chairman, has set up Committee Offices at Room 58, The Armoury, Calgary, and is undertaking to mail invitations to all former members who write to him at that address.



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## RURAL GLEICHEN

The auction sale at Mr. J. W. Hutchison's Monday was very well attended and everything sold well. The U. F. W. A. sold lunch.

Tuesday evening Alberta Star O. E. S. Gleichen had the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sparling. There was a large crowd of visitors from Hussar and Standard. Mrs. Shaw, P. G. M. of Edmonton and Mrs. Young G. Treas and Mrs. Sen-  
tance of Banff were also visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sammons and Mr. and Mrs. L. Green spent several days at the bull sale in Calgary then went on to spend the week end at Olds with Mr. and Mrs. A. Buckley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. G. Yule Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. L. Stott spent several days in Calgary attending the bull sale.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Oliver visited in Calgary a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Sammons, Doreen and Allen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. H. MacPhoe.

Mrs. Vera Lee of Calgary visited several days with Mrs. P. Warner and Mrs. Burnice McKeever.

Mrs. J. Millar of Edmonton is visit-  
ing her sister Mrs. Edith Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Umbrite motored to Banff the first of the week to spend a few days at their farm.

George Walker arrived from the east the first of the week. He plans to operate his mothers farm this summer.

Mrs. Marcellus of Calgary spent the week end with her Aunt Miss M. Goodwin.

A number of young people from Gleichen attended a house warming at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hall Saturday evening.

There will be Morning Prayer in St. Andrew's Church on March 31st. at 11 a.m. Conducted by the Rev. D. A. Ford.

### DONNA DAE

No singer could possibly have more right to the proud title of "Little Miss Rhythm" than Donna Dae. There's no style quite like that of Little Miss Rhythm herself who swings through blues like "Am I Blue" and "I'm Confessin'" in a highly distinctive engaging manner.

## CURLING CLUB MEETING

Annual Meeting of the Strathmore Curling Club will be held in the Town Hall at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 3rd. All members are urgently requested to attend to discuss plans for next season.

The Financial Statement will be submitted for the past year, and officers elected for next year. Remember the date.

## LANGDON

— By G. E. W. —

The Ladies Aid are holding a Weir Supper in the W. I. Hall on Friday evening, April 5th, it is hoped that there will be a big turn out, before the busy season starts. Adults 50c and children 25c.

Edna Thomas has been ill at her home for the last ten days with an attack of sore throat. She is better now, and hopes to return to Calgary where she will resume her studies at Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmale and family spent Sunday visiting Mr. Schmale's parents in Blackie.

The Young Folk had a very enjoyable evening on Saturday in the W. I. hall. Dancing was enjoyed and a very pleasant time was had, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Dr. Baker, from the Keith Sanatorium gave a very interesting talk on tuberculosis, in the W. I. Hall on Sunday afternoon. He was accompanied by the Rev. A. R. Aldridge. Owing to the storm the previous day the roads were in bad shape, and made it impossible for some of the country people to attend.

Miss Daley Esbert, of Golden, B. C. was visiting friends in Langdon, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas were in Calgary on Monday.

## NAMAKA

— By M. W. —

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thomson arrived home from the United States where they spent the winter with friends and relatives.

We are very sorry to report that Mrs. Loy Wheeler was taken to the hospital last Friday suffering from a very bad case of the flu.

Miss Mavis Mackie who has been in Strathmore for some time came home Saturday and will be living at home for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Fedrol of Rosemary spent the week end with the Lepp family.

Mr. Chester Edwards and small daughters Jean and Kathleen of Majorsville spent a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. Watts and other relatives and friends.

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## NO. 1 HIGHWAY NEEDS REPAIR ALSO

A recent announcement from the Department of Public Works concerns the granting of contracts for roadwork in the province to be completed before July 1st. These highways include the Calgary-Banff road, and the Calgary-High River route, both of which are to receive hard-surfacing, together with further grading contracts in other areas.

These highways are the so-called

tourist arterial highways. The aim naturally, is to improve these roads by tourist times, and for this objective, the department is to be praised.

But are they not being shortighted? The Number 1 Highway is also badly in need of repairs, very badly. And it is as likely, being our transcontinental link, to bring in a large number of tourists, as are the other routes. Particularly is this road needed during hunting season, when sportsmen from all the country, use this road to travel

to their hunting grounds, some of the richest of which are in easy access of this highway.

Again, this road serves a large number of farmers and farm areas, and during the summer sowing, growing and harvesting season, it is a vital necessity to them that this road be in good repair. The farmers have had to get along without new machinery and repairs for years; it is not fair nor reasonable to expect them to get along indefinitely, to use the roads that ruin their machinery.

These people have a right to expect that the transcontinental will be repaired. If they could receive any assurance that by harvest time they could expect a highway, they would probably be satisfied; they know, as well as does anyone that we need tourists and that we need roads to attract them. But they also know that they need roads themselves. When can they expect them?

## NIGHTINGALE

—By Mrs. F. H.

Mrs. Henry Hilton entertained the Women's Institute at her home last Friday. Some excellent limericks were recited in answer to the roll call. Details for serving at Mr. Hilton's sale on April 2nd, were discussed and plans completed. Some literature on health and education was read and pamphlets were passed around. Mrs. Harley Harriman read a very good report on the Lethbridge conference and received a hearty vote of thanks. Mrs. Art Kimmett and Mrs. Don Douglas had lent blocks for the new quilt and these were distributed. We were all very sorry to hear that Mrs. Chas Kimmett had to be away on account of illness. A delicious tea was served to seventeen members and one visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Harriman of Swallow were Sunday visitors with the home folks.

Mr. Geo Thurston and Roser Kinney spent a few days at the bull sale in Calgary.

Mrs. Coleman Morgan is home again after a two months holiday in California.

There certainly is a great need for some one to get busy on these roads. How about it Mr. Councillor?

The warble fly machine is busy here this week. Mr. Wm. Joel and Ted are in charge and are receiving good co-operation from farmers. It is hoped that all will avail themselves of the opportunity to have their cattle treated.

We wish a speedy recovery to Mrs. Chas Kimmett and Mr. Chris Cullen who have both been very ill.

## FAMILY ALLOWANCE

Canada's Family Allowances have been in operation now for over a year and statistics covering the full picture are being released by the Department of Health and Welfare.

Some 1,363,000 families have received allowances to date. The Minister reveals that while the largest single payment actually made to date to any one family has been \$45 a month average paid per family has been \$14.27.

Two-thirds of Canada's families receiving the allowance average between two and three children each. Those having four children or less total over 88 percent of the families receiving allowances.

Families with income below \$3,000 annually derive some revenue from the allowance, though income tax exemptions are lowered by the amount received in allowances.

The general picture of Family Allowances in Canada is that the payment of this money each month is achieving the desired result in terms of better nutrition, better housing, better education, and better opportunities for the children of Canada.

## Jobs Follow Organization

But Employers and Workers Must Assist

During the war organization of manpower was made possible through co-operation of employers and workers.

This co-operation is no less necessary to assist in organizing the employment market during the present critical period.

Some manpower controls still remain. These are still law. They are aimed at assisting in organizing the employment market.

Remaining controls are designed to help employers and workers—and actually require only minor assistance from the public.

YOU ARE URGED TO COMPLY WITH THE FOUR CONTROLS WHICH REMAIN:

1. Employers MUST notify the National Employment Office of any need for workers, as soon as that need is known.
2. Where employers engage workers outside the National Employment Service they MUST notify the nearest NES Office within three days, that an employee has been engaged. (Form NSS 312 is provided for this purpose.)
3. Unemployed workers seeking employment MUST register with the National Employment Office if unemployed for seven consecutive days.
4. Generally speaking, any employer or employee MUST give seven days' notice to the other party of any intention to terminate employment. (Form NSS 120 is still required.) Exceptions may be learned from the nearest NES Office.

The partners to industry—employers and employees—should help the National Employment Service to promote a high level of employment by complying with these simple rules.

Only with public support can an employment service give full assistance to the community.

Make full use of the Local Office of the National Employment Service. It is there to serve your needs, and those of the entire Community.

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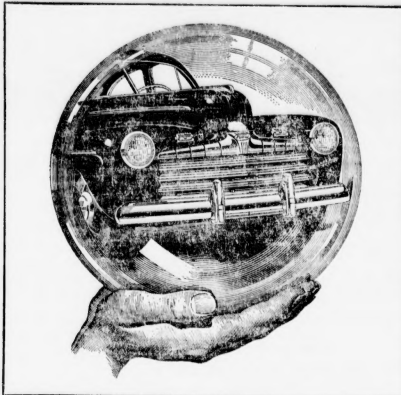
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By Mrs. K. H.

Sincere sympathy of the community is extended to the Rydberg family in the loss of their father Emil Victor Rydberg, who passed away at his home on March 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Barlow have received a cable saying Noel docked at Southampton England, from India on March 21st.

Mrs. G. Christensen has been substituting this week for Mrs. Bremner who is suffering from a severe attack of flu.

What might have been a very serious accident occurred Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Melendy were on their way to town when their car crashed thru the rotted planks on the canal bridge south east of town. Mrs. Melendy is suffering shock and bruises and a fractured ankle. The car was badly damaged.

The P. B. Club will be held next April 3rd. at the home of Mrs. Max Phillips.

Mr. J. Gibson is again back at work and is feeling much better.

The St. Patrick's Supper advertised for March 23rd. had to be postponed owing to stormy weather and will now be held April 6 in the school.

**Sleeping on Your Rights**

There is an old Roman Proverb over 2,000 years old which freely translated says: "Those who sleep on their rights forfeit them."

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this proverb in the tariff situation of Canada as it affects our farmers. Years ago all Canada's wheat was readily sold because there were no high tariffs in Canada which obstructed the importation of our customer's goods into Canada, which meant that these foreign people could, by the sale of these goods, obtain Canadian dollars with which to buy our wheat. Then little by little and quietly, certain industrial concerns in Canada persuaded our Government to set up high tariffs which before this war seriously curtailed the export of our farmers' products. Our farmers, it seems, have gone to sleep on this matter of tariffs. Few farmers ever say a word about it, and certainly take little action to have these evil tariffs reduced. In short, our farmers, like many other good people have "slept on their rights."

The Canadian Government has now set up a Tariff Board to consider the whole tariff question. People are invited to submit briefs. Farmers, their friends and other organizations should demand of the Government of this Tariff Board a sharp reduction in existing Canadian tariffs.

**New Lawns And Old**

One of the very first on-the-land jobs in the spring is lawn work, especially the patching and general cleaning up of established lawns. One can start this job almost as soon as the last snow is gone. Grass seed makes its best growth in cool weather. For patching and new lawns, too, experts advise getting a good grade of lawn grass, which will be a mixture of various sorts of grass designed to make growth quickly and stay green year after year. For patching, the bare spots should be thoroughly stirred with a rake, then seeded rather heavily. Covering with brush or wire will protect from the birds.

Fairly early in the spring is the best time to apply commercial fertilizer, commercial fertilizer, which should be spread according to directions and preferably just before a rain which will wash it in and prevent burning. Too often the average lawn is regard-

**Church Notices**

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5:00 p.m.—Lutheran Hour CPN

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Rev. D. A. Ford B. A. L. Th. Rector

Sunday, March 31, 1946. 4th. Sunday

in Lent.

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

11:00 a.m. Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

(4) "I Believe in the Forgiveness of Sin."

St. Andrew's, Gleichen—

11 a.m.—Holy Communion.

Sermon—"I Believe in Jesus Christ".

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2:00 p.m. Evening Prayer.

Midweek Services:

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Lenten Service

Thursday, 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion.

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Strathmore — Alberta

Stanley R. Hunt, B. A., S. D.

Sunday, March 31st, 1946.

11 a.m.—Church School.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.

"What It Means to be a Church Member", No. 4 "Living in the Strength of Union".

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Saturday, March 30; 2:30 Confirmation

instruction.

Sunday, March 31 10:30 Services

English.

12:00 Sunday School and Bible Class.

8:00 The Y. P. S. will meet.

Wednesday, April 3rd, 2:30 The

Sunny Range Ladies Aid will meet in the

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Thursday, April 4, 2:30 Lenten services

English.

Friday, April 5 8:00 The Sunday

School teachers will meet in the home

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should take care of itself. As a result

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3. If it shows you have T.B. in early symptomless stage, that is good news, too, because when T.B. is found early the chances for complete recovery are excellent, provided treatments start at once.



## Provincial Government Wages Successful War on Mankind's Oldest Scourge

"The battle against Tuberculosis is not only a doctor's affair; it belongs to the entire public." — Sir William Osler

Recognizing this, the Government in co-operation with the Alberta Tuberculosis Associations has enlisted the people of the province in the fight. With the result: Tuberculosis is fighting a losing battle in Alberta. True, it is still a stealthy, insidious killer, but death rates are sharply declining, and victory is in sight. Now, with the knowledge we have and the weapons at our command, this disease which has claimed more lives than all the wars in history, can and will be conquered within a generation.

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Wheatley, that we purchase 16 rolls of snow fence for Hunsar Market Road and 5 rolls for Market Road in Division No. 4. Carried.

### Reflector Signs and Posts

McArthur, that the following Scotch Lite Reflector signs to be purchased from the Westcoast Products Limited at a cost of \$5.50 each f. o. b. Winnipeg, complete with posts at \$2.35 each; For Div. 1 19 stop signs; For Div. 2, 6 stop signs; For Div. 3 1 stop sign; For Div. 4 4 stop signs, 4 right curve signs, 4 left curve signs. This carried.

Wheatley moved that this whole Council act on the Farm Safety Committee; carried.  
Bill No. 44, 1946.

Prohibits the excavating or removal of earth within six feet of power line poles etc.,

Mr. J. M. Wheatley reported that in the capacity of President of the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts he protested this provision in Bill No. 44 to the Hon. W. A. Fallow, Minister of Public Works of the Province of Alberta. He had every reason to believe his protest was successful.

Hartell: That we continue our arrangement with Thurston's Drug Store and the United Grain Growers Limited for the supplying Gonher poison to resident farmers of this district. The farmers shall pay the vendor .25c for each can of poison and the Municipal District shall pay the balance of the purchase price. Carried.

Jackson: that we approve the granting of a license to C. E. Cole of Carleton Place to conduct a new and used machinery business in respect to premises on Lot 32, Block 3, Plan 4610 A. V. Carried.

McArthur: that one used from be sold to P. Konechuk of Cluny for \$3.00. Carried.

Wheatley: That we make application to the Dept. of Public Works for a \$10,000.00 Roadwork Grant. Carried.  
Wheatley: That our Reeve, Mr. James Harwood, be our representative on the Board of Directors of the South Centre Alberta Association of Municipal Districts. Carried.

Petition to have road leading eight miles East from the corner four miles North of Glencliff classified as a Market Road.

Wheatley: That this Council approve of this road being classified as a Market Road and that the rearrangement of Market Roads in other Divisions be considered at our next meeting. Carried.

It was arranged that approaches to new bridge S. 25-24-26-1th. be built as soon as spring work opens up.

The meeting adjourned at 5:30.

## CRITICIZES GOVT. WHEAT POLICY

John Bracken, leader of the Progressive Conservative party, made a public statement on March 8th in which he criticized the government's agricultural policy, and particularly its wheat policy.

Mr. Bracken pointed out that the present world price of wheat is about \$1.95 a bushel in Canadian funds, and suggested that arbitrary restrictions be removed so that Canadian wheat would bring such a price. He said that government restrictions force farmers to accept \$1.55 for over 200 million bushels of export wheat and \$1.25 for 80 million bushels of wheat disposed of on the domestic market. He calculated that Dominion farmers were thus losing \$200 million.

It's the division between parents that adds up to problem children.

## Local News Items

Mrs. Garrett is visiting her son Andrew and family in Edmonton during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Unsworth and two children and Mrs. Unsworth's mother, Mrs. Bulis have taken up residence in Strathmore. Mr. Unsworth is employed in Baldwin Motor's, succeeding Howard Galbraith.

Friday last Mr. Garrett celebrated his 70th birthday. Mrs. Garrett marked the occasion by inviting the family and a few other friends for the evening. Whist was played, S. H. Croxter winning the high score. A happy social hour was enjoyed.

Miss Audrey Ladler was the week-end guest of Miss Jean Garrett in Strathmore.

Sgt. Maj. W. Tew has received his discharge from the army, after several years service. He left Tuesday to enter the Belcher Hospital to receive some nasal treatment, after which he plans taking a course in interior decorating.

Miss Elva Robison has joined the staff of the local Bank having commenced her duties Monday last.

Born Saturday, March 23 to Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Giffin, John Wilson Giffin in the Holy Cross Hospital. This is the date of birth of the wee babies Grandfather Dr. Giffin Sr. and in token thereof the little lad is being given the name of John Wilson. This is the third John Wilson Giffin.

Mrs. C. Peters of Nobleford was a guest of Mrs. Broadbent several days last week.

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All Reynolds from Greencourt, 135 miles north of Edmonton visited Mr. and Mrs. Broadbent for a week during the time he was getting his discharge.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church, will meet Thursday, April 4, at Mrs. Risdon's home.

The refreshments served following the Jean Patterson recital of last week were arranged by the Sunday School, who served many delicious sandwiches and cakes to the guests. The STAND-ARID erroneously reported Mr. and Mrs. McMurphy as hosts.

The U. F. A. Whist and Bridge held in the hall last Friday evening was a very successful affair, and all report a most enjoyable time. Winners of whist prizes were Miss B. Love and Mr. Harold Scheer, and of the bridge prizes, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thompson. A well attended dance followed in the main hall.

A meeting has been arranged for Friday evening between the Town Council and the engineering firm of Haddin and Miles, when all of the angles in connection with installation of sewer and sewerage will be investigated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hilton have returned to their home after a holiday of two and a half months spent in Orange, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lounsbury, who have spent most of the winter in San Francisco, are expected to visit in Strathmore for a time on their way to their home in Chilliwack, B. C.

Col. Snow, newly appointed commander of military services in Military District 13 visited the Strathmore Corps of Cadets on Thursday afternoon. He was accompanied by Major Finney, in charge of cadets.

All curlers are invited to attend the meeting on April 3rd.

Mrs. Folk was hostess last Thursday to the members of the Berry Vale W. I. when twenty-one guests enjoyed an interesting musical program following the business. Mrs. Clark of Cluny, Constituency Convener was present and gave a practical talk on the work accomplished and places for the future. Choice refreshments completed a most enjoyable afternoon.

Jack Van Tighem was home over the weekend, returning Sunday night to Edmonton to continue studying.

The construction committee of the Lions started working over the swimming pool site on Tuesday, but the scrapers/operators found the going a bit tough just under the top surface, due to frost, and after scraping off the surface are leaving the frost layer to thaw a bit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Phillips visited friends in town Wednesday, returning to Calgary in the evening.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kroon wish to express their warmest appreciation to all the people of Standard who helped in such heroic and generous ways to save their home and furniture in the recent fire, also to the Fire Brigades of Strathmore and Gleichen who responded to the call for help.

Our very warm thanks too, to Mrs. Anderson who so kindly offered her home for our use.

For all their kindnesses we are deeply grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kroon.

Complicating her sister-in-law, Miss Toots Brown, Mrs. Jimmy Brown catered a number of young women on Tuesday evening when a number of games were played.

Mrs. Folk is spending the weekend with friends at Lethbridge and Calgary.

### CHANCELLOR

— By Mrs. J. M. W. —

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hegi on the birth of a baby daughter in the General Hospital on Wednesday Judith Avenue.

Mrs. H. F. Fenske arrived home on Wednesday from Los Angeles.

Mrs. Alice Spurling of Calgary, Mrs. Grace Shaw of Jasper and Mrs. Wm. Young of Banff are visitors at the Channey home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Madsen, Mrs. L. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheatley, Mrs. S. Selgensen, Mrs. N. I. Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. H. Chamney and Harry attended the O. E. S. Chapter meeting in Gleichen on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hobbs were visiting friends in the district and stayed overnight with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Young and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheatley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Macdonald.

Fred Wheatley is expected home from Halifax on Saturday.

Mr. Invar Risti of Idlesleigh is visiting C. V. Madsen.

Mr. Andrew Jelfenstein of St. and celebrated his 79th birthday on Sunday. All the family were there to congratulate him, also many friends.

### ARDENODE

— By Mrs. H. S. —

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burgeen, also Mrs. T. R. Hicks of Calgary were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freemans.

We are very glad to hear that Mrs. L. M. Wise who underwent a second operation, is now making satisfactory progress, and we hope for the very best for her.

Mrs. W. A. Freeman has just received word that her niece, Mrs. Swarty (nee Alice Mae Dukelow) recently on the Public Library Staff in Calgary, has left to join her husband in Indiana, U. S. A.

Mrs. Alfred Frelge of Dalemend is spending a few days at the Wise home

### AWARD CONTRACTS FOR 117 MILES ROAD WORK

Road contracts for main highway construction involving an outlay of more than \$700,000 were awarded last week by the public works department of Alberta.

The contracts cover a total of 117 miles, of which 78 miles will be hard surfacing, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association.

One contract is for hard surfacing 44 miles of the Trans-Canada highway between Cochrane, west of Calgary, and the east gate of Banff national park. Another is for the 34 miles from Calgary to High River.

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